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SUBJ: SECOND SESSION - LOS CONFERENCE

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I CALLED ON FOREIGN SECRETARY BHATT APRIL 28 AND MADE DEMARCHE REQUESTING GON SUPPORT OF HOLDING ADDITIONAL LOS CONFERENCE THIS SUMMER. BHATT SAID HE WAS NOT HEARING AS MUCH AS HE WOULD LIKE ON LOS FROM NEPALESE IN NEW YORK, AND APPRECIATED THE INFORMATION WHICH WE HAVE BEEN SUPPLYING THE MINISTRY ON THE PROGRESS OF THE CONFERENCE. HE SAID HE PERSONALLY THOUGHT IT WOULD BE GOOD IDEA TO PUSH ON WITH AN ADDITIONAL CONFERENCE THIS SUMMER IN ORDER NOT TO LOSE MOMENTUM. THE ONLY POSSIBLE PROBLEM HE FORESAW FOR NEPAL WAS IN CONNECTION WITH THE OVERLAP OF THE PROPOSED DATES FOR THE SUMMER SESSION WITH THE NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE. AMBASSADOR UPADHYAYA WOULD PROBABLY HAVE TO COME TO COLOMBO FOR AT LEAST A FEW DAYS AROUND AUGUST 11.

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BHATT THOUGHT THAT SOME OTHER COUNTRIES ATTENDING

THE NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE MIGHT HAVE A SIMILAR
PROBLEM IN STRETCHING THEIR PERSONNEL RESOURCES, AND
SUGGESTED THAT A POSSIBLE WAY OUT MIGHT BE TO ADJOURN
THE GENEVA LOS SESSION FOR A WEEK OR SO IN AUGUST. EAVES

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